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In re the Application of:

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For: GAP ADJUSTMENT APPARATUS AND GAP ADJUSTMENT METHOD FOR
ADJUSTING GAP BETWEEN TWO OBJECTS

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.121

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is in reply to the outstanding Office Action dated June 30, 2003.

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IN THE DRAWINGS:

Please amend the drawings in accordance with the attached Request for
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